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Docket Management Systems  
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Re: Exemption No.: 7396 FAA Docket Number FAA-2000-7992 -5

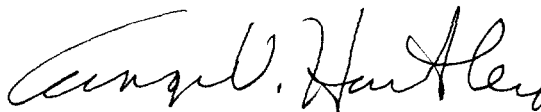
Dear Sirs:

I am requesting the extension for the Exemption 7396, FAA Docket Number FAA-2000-7992. I had previously tried to apply for this extension online, but do not know if it went through or not.

The scope and size of my company has not changed and I fly with VFR equipped aircraft under Part 135 rules for VFR day and night operations for passenger and cargo. The airspace in Southwest Alaska is not in a radar environment and I am not utilizing our transponders if the aircraft are equipped with them. My base of operations in King Salmon, Alaska is not in a radar environment at this time. All operations of aircraft and equipment are operated under the same circumstances as the original request for Exemption 7396.

Please consider my request for the extension on the exemption No. 7396 for Hartley, Inc. d/b/a Branch River Air Service. Thank you for your consideration and I look forward to your response.

Sincerely,



George V. "Van" Hartley

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Hartley, Inc.